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POLLY LARKIN

The cornerstone of St. John's Presbyterian Church on the corner of First avenue and Lake street, San Francisco, was laid recently, the ceremonies being attended with unusual interest. The honor of laying the corner stone fell to Mrs. Arthur W. Foster, who with a handsome silver trowel presented by General Rawles, gracefully carried out this part of the ceremony in the presence of many spectators, many of them being members of the First St. John's Church of which Rev. Dr. Scott, Mrs. Foster's father, and one of the most beloved and eloquent ministers on the Pacific Slope, was pastor and under whose regime the church flourished. It was a fitting token of respect to their former beloved pastor and to Mrs. Foster who is one of the most zealous workers for the cause of religion, that she should be chosen to perform this sacred duty. Before the corner stone was sealed copies were placed within it of the local papers and of the Presbyterian Church paper, a catalogue of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, a list of the officers and the members of the church, and photographs of their former beloved pastor Rev. Dr. Scott, the present pastor, Rev. George G. Eldredge and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Foster. The members of St. John's Church feel deeply indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Foster for they presented the handsome new edifice together with the valuable site on which the church stands, and now the doors of the church swing open and the congregation enters the sacred edifice with voices filled with thanksgiving and hymns of praise on their lips, for thanks to the generous donors, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, the church is free from debt and fully paid for. The memory of the laying of St. John's corner stone will always remain a happy one and of double interest to all those who worshipped at the First St. John's Church of which the eloquent Rev. Dr. Scott was so long the pastor. He had endeared himself to people both in and out of his church, and the memory will never die.

"Many Begging Pleas for Money," "Big Expenses of Society Women," These were the two headlines of articles published in one of our big dailies not long since, and in reading the articles one certainly find the two extremes. One is the expose by a leading physician in New York of the methods of impostures on the charitably inclined people who are too lazy to work, or plying their trade of professional beggers. Miss Helen Gould alone receives thousands of letters petitioning for aid and telling heart-rending tales of sickness, starvation and death, etc., which, when sifted down, are found to come from these undeserving classes. In fact, she is besieged with these letters every day. Everybody knows that Miss Gould is an angel of mercy and her wealth is used lavishly for the poor and needy, the sick and the afflicted. Uncle Sam's boys in blue can tell you something of this benevolent spirit that rules Miss Gould and how she has contributed largely of her funds to make them more comfortable and happy, so can the poor children of New York for many of these sickly little waifs of humanity owe their lives to her. When New York was smelting under the torrid sun, and people dying of heat in the crowded tenements, many of these frail, delicate children with no constitution to stand the spells of hot weather, were taken out of the city where they would get fresh air, pure milk and fruits, and would have a chance to recuperate through the generosity of Miss Helen Gould. No doubt she is imposed upon every day, and while she may feel disappointed and disgusted, she never grows disheartened to the extent that she fails to assist the really deserving. This is one side of the story of the headlines and the "Big Expense of a Society Woman" is the other, and it shows the difference in the two women, Miss Helen Gould and Mrs. Burke Roche, both wealthy. The article stated that Mrs. Roche had made up with her father and had returned to his house. Their quarrel had been one of the most sensational incidents in New York society, arising over the expenditure of money by the daughter, who claimed that $60,000 a year was not enough for her needs and demanding $100,000 a year. Her items o expense would show just how easily $100,000 could be spent, the principal items being: Horse show expenses, $25,000; bridge whist, $10,000; gowns, $20,000; automobile expenses, $10,000; balls and banquets, $15,000; furs and jewels, $10,000, and that does not count in the many little extravagances of the fashionable woman of the "400." The incident is closed, the daughter has gone home to her father, and peace reigns, for her friends say that he at last gave in for the pleasure of having his daughter at home, and she will now receive $375 a day or something over $100,000 a year.

What a difference in the type of these two women! Both wealthy, but one filled with the love of humanity and using her wealth lavishly in her endeavor to make other people happy and bringing comfort to numbers of poor people. Many are the hearts that are filled to overflowing by her numerous acts of kindness. The other one, a society butterfly, throwing money with a lavish hand to gratify her extravagant ideas of bringin happiness to herself. 'Tis a queer old world, and it may be that the old Quaker's views could be accepted or adapted to many of the denizens when he gave his opinion in the following words: "All the world is a little queer except me and thee, and thou is a little so."

A silent Fourth of July. What a death knell to a boy's patriotic fervor that edict must be. Every small boy who looks forward to Fourth of July with expectations that are second only to one other event in the year and that is Christmas, surrounded by so much pleasant mystery and joyful surprises, will be glad that they do not live in Iowa. The Iowa House of Representatives having recently passed Offil's bill making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine and imprisonment in the county jail to discharge fire crackers, toy pistols, revolvers and other explosives on July 4th. Now what do you think of that? Is that fair? What will Fourth of July be to the small boy, and big ones too, for that matter, without the noise, fuss and smell of gun-powder? It will be tamer than a Sunday school picnic with all the games barred out and nothing to do but sit and look solemn on the festival occasion. Polly does not like fire crackers, and the exploding of bombs, etc., very much, but I think the small boy has some rights on the glorious Fourth. It is the only day in the year when they are licensed to make just as much noise as they please without being reprimanded on all sides. It arouses all the patriotic feelings in the laddies. They will be a unit in denouncing Mr. Offil's bill as an awful calamity in taking away the rights of the small boy, and if they were given the privilege of voting, Mr. Offil would never have an opportunity to make another bill. This is one time when the old bachelor, who is usually at outs with everybody and everything said something to the point. He read the item in regard to the silent Fourth of July and threw the paper into the corner "Nonsense," he said, "A silent Fourth of July, indeed. That's about the awfulest bill that man Offil could have originated. It needs the booming of cannon the popping of fire crackers, toy pistols and illumination of fire works to make up the patriotism that is slumbering in our breasts and if it was not for the small boy who arises to the occasion the sparks of patriotism would not be rekindled and the Fourth of July would be like any other day in the year. Who ever heard of such a thing? There is just one, of two things. Either that man Offil has forgot that he was ever a boy, and has become a "Krinky crank" or else he has lost property by being burned out on Fourth of July by fire crackers, etc., but even if that is so, he hasn't any right to rob every boy in the State of Iowa of his right to celebrate."

BRIEF REVIEW.

A Man With a History.

Charles S. Bowie, who is 106 years of age, is working as a skidroad builder at Sampson's logging camp, near Shelton. Bowie claims to have been born on Christmas day in 1799. He is small, but wiry; has a full head of dark hair, is quick on his feet and alert. He claims to have been a Mason for eighty-four years. His father was James A. Bowie, after whom the Bowie knife was named. He was born in Virginia, and his mother was a descendant of the Aztec Indians. His adventures since joining the Navy when 12 years old have been as follows: Served on the ship Constellation; was on the frigate United States when she was shot to pieces by the British man-of-war Macedonian; was aboard the Constitution when she captured the British frigate Java off Brazil; was aboard the schooner Caroline off New Orleans when she was sunk by Admiral Rodney; served under General Jackson at the battle of New Orleans; went to the Mediterranean in the Constitution, under Decatur; fought a duel with Fourth Officer Upser at Gibraltar, in which Upser was killed; was court martialed and dismissed from the Navy; fought eight months under Simon Bolivar; served under General Sam Houston of Texas; joined the British army; served in the Crimea; received the Victoria Cross, and draws a weekly pension of 1 pound; came to California in 1858, and later to Puget sound; traveled overland from California to New Orleans, joined Lee's army; captured at Antietam but escaped had part of his tongue shot away at Gettysburg; served in a revolution in Mexico; thence to California and Puget sound.

ONE of the most extensive fields of onyx marble in Mexico lies along the border between the states of Durango and Coahuila. Rich beds of this marble have been found in the hummocks at the foot of the high mountains which fall within the jurisdiction of the hacienda Jimulca and on both sides of the Aguanaval river. The most important of these marble beds lie west of the Mexican Central Railway, being twenty kilometers from Peralto, at the foot of the high sierra on the way to Cuencame.

GERMANY is a lead in novelties of a charitable nature. In the town of Haschmann prizes are offered yearly for the men who will marry the ugliest and most crippled women, and for the women over forty years who have been jilted at least twice.

THE qualification for a voter in Scotland is holding of an estate or of land in land tenure or lease of land for at least a sixty-year term.

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MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP WINS VICTORY IN CHICAGO BY U. S. SUPREME COURT

Indiana Physician Disappears for Twenty-Eight Years and Does Not Remember Where He Has Lived---Fowls Plucked By Electricity.

U. S. Soldiers Destroy a Band of 600 Moro Outlaws in the Philipine Islands---Penitent Hobo Will Pay Railroad Fare.

Chicago Wins Victory.

CHICAGO.—A sweeping traction victory was won by Chicago when the Supreme Court of the United States decided that the act of the State of Illinois extending the lives of the street car companies to ninety-nine years is constitutional, but that it does not operate to extend the contracts for the occupation of streets, which contracts had been expressly limited in time by the ordinances permitting the corporations to occupy the public highways. The ninety-nine year act, therefore, though valid, is valueless, and municipality is master of the situation. All companies, with the exception of some unimportant feeders, are now occupying the streets solely through suffrance. The city may terminate their existance at any moment. This clears the way for municipal ownership and gives the city a tremendous bludgeon to swing over the heads of the companies in effecting a settlement of the purchase of existing properties. Briefly, all the trunk lines in Chicago are left without a leg to stand on.

Peculiar Case of Physician.

LADOGA (Ind.).—Dr. Byron Mahoney, the well-known physician who disappeared from his home here twenty-eight years ago and could not be located by his relatives, returned home as mysteriously as he had gone, and it quickly developed that his mind is a blank so far as intervening years are concerned. Dr. Mahoney alighted from the train and immediatly asked to see his "little boy," now a man 31 years old. He could not make it plain where he had boarded the train or why he had come. It is supposed that he has been in an asylum suffering from the result of a blow on the head twenty-eight years ago. Mrs. Mahoney went to Union City, Kan., married again, and is the mother of six children by her present husband. Dr. Mahoney's father, who also is a physician, will give him treatment to restore his memory. His return will cause no legal complications so far as his former wife is concerned. After waiting several years she applied to the courts and procured a legal seperation from Mahoney.

Feathers Will Fly by Electricity.

MORRISTOWN (N. J.).—There are many undiscovered uses of electricity, but probably the last known is plucking feathers from fowls by the current. Two men, who have a duck farm near Stroudsburg, have worked out what they believe to be a practical idea. A live wire which had fallen on the ground at the farm recently killed one of the ducks. On picking up the fowl it was found that by shaking it all its feathers fell out. The meat in no way tainted. since then the two men have been experimenting with electricity. They find that after a high voltage of electricity is passed through the duck's body, sufficient to loosen the feathers but in no way injuring the meat, the feathers will fall out. Plucking without injury is a great task, and dry-picked birds bring better prices. Thomas A. Edison is said to be much interested in the scheme.

U. S. Soldiers Fight With Moros

MANILA.—Major-General Woods reports from Jolo as follows: "A severe action has taken place between the troops, a contingent of the naval department, the constabulary and a body of hostile Moros at Mount Dajo, near Jolo, lasting two days. The action resulted in the capture of Mount Dajo and the destruction of a band of outlaws, recognizing no chief, that had been raiding friendly Moros on the target range at Jolo, and through defiance had stirred up a dangerous condition of affairs. The artillery was lifted by block and tackle a distance of 400 feet into position on the lip of the crater. Colonel Joseph W. Duncan of the Sixth Infantry directed the operations. All the defenders of the Moro stronghold were killed and 600 bodies were found in the works."

Converted Hobo to Ease Conscience.

INDIANAPOLIS.—Being converted at this time, as he says, a hobo in Denver writes to C. C. Clark, general agent of the passenger department of the Big Four Railroad, that he wishes to pay for numerous rides he stole on the bumpers of freight cars, and asks Mr. Clark to advise him concerning the best rates that can be given him. Mr. Clark said he had to ask the convert to pay the regular passenger rates and sent the repentant one an itemized statement.

Big Sum for Old Bond.

WORCESTER (Mass.).—Herbert F. Morgan of Clinton has a $20 Government bond of 1780, which was given to him by a wealthy old man in Maine named Gray. In 1780 the Gray family lent the Government $10,000, taking bonds at 5 per cent. Gray claims he was too patriotic and wealthy to redeem them. Morgan expects to realize $12,086 for his 126-year-old bond.

Rockerfeller Will Assist Children.

DENVER.—Judge Lindsey of the Denver Juvenile Court says: "I found that Mr. Rockerfeller and other philanthropists of wealth desire to secure a feasible plan for the betterment of the poor children of all the large cities of the nation. They asked me to make a plan, intimating that if it is satisfactory unlimited means will be placed at my disposal to work it out."

Pear Blight and Hops.

WASHINGTON.—Senator Perkins has proposed two amendments to the agricultural appropriation bill. One carries $10,000 for the eradication of the pear blight, in California. The other provides for an investigation of the hop industry on the Pacific Coast with special reference to the growing area and handling of crops, $5000 being made available for the work.

Mount Pelée Not Active.

FORT DE FRANCE (Martinique).—By telephone from the Government observatory adjacent to Mount Pelee Professor Heilprin of the University of Pennsylvania says he has made an ascent of the crater of the volcano. He found it quiet and is assured it has been quiet. Heilprin is positive the earthquake shocks have no connection with the volcano.

Convicted of Murdering His Wife.

GREENSBORO (N. C.).—Dr. J. B. Matthews was found guilty of the murder of his wife, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty years. The most sensational allegation at the trial of Matthews was that he had injected strychnine into his wife while she was ill and while pretending to be offering a prayer at her bedside.

Death of Senor Blonco.

EL PASO (Tex.) — Senor Jacobo Blanco, chairman of the Mexican International Boundary Commission, died here after several weeks illness. Senor Blanco, for the Mexican republic, and General Anson Mills, for the United States, have been for years surveying the Rio Grande and settling disputed points as to boundary. The work had been about completed.

Guilty of Conspiracy.

COLORADO SPRINGS (Col.). — After being out only thirty-five minutes a jury in the District Court returned a verdict finding J. J. McEacherin guilty of conspiracy to defraud an insurance company. The penalty is from one to fourteen years imprisonment. Seven persons are charged with being implicated in the conspiracy, but separate trials will be given each.

Caleb Powers Loses in Highest Court

WASHINGTON.—The Caleb Powers case has been decided by the Supreme Court of the United States against Powers. The opinion was delivered by Justice Harlan, and held that the case was not removable from the State to the Federal courts. The case was therefore remanded to the Kentucky State courts.

All Night Bank for Chicago.

CHICAGO.—This city is soon to have a bank that will be kept open for business night and day. The building recently vacated by the Central Trust Company will be occupied by the new concern, which is to be known as the Jennings Real Estate Loan and Trust Company.

Sending Supplies to Japan.

SEATTLE. — The Dakota, with the second relief to starving Japanese, has departed with subscriptions. The Kanagawa Maru will carry the third consignment. All sections of the State were heavily represented.

Identified by Parents.

PARIS — Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of London, arrived here from England, and recognized the body of Ethel A. Brown, which was found recently in the Seine, as their daughter, erroneously supposed to be an American girl.

Poet Falls From Steamer.

MEXICO.— Louis Saint Martin, the noted poet and writer, who was recently appointed Collector of Customs at one of the gulf ports, fell overboard from the steamer which was carrying him to his new post, and was drowned.

Mexican War Pensions Raised.

WASHINGTON. — The Senate Committee on Pensions have voted to raise the pensions of Mexican war veterans from $12 to $20 per month, and that a favorable report be made on Senator Gallinger's bill for that purpose.

New California Postmasters.

WASHINGTON. — California postmasters appointed: Durham, Butte county, Lucius W. Nelson; Potrero, San Diego county, Charles A. Bergren; Sutter Creek, F. J. Payne.

High Tides at Antwerp.

ANTWERP. — High tides destroyed warves and flooded warehouses here. The loss is estimated at several millions of dollars.

New Immigrant Station.

WASHINGTON. — Secretary Metcalf has asked Congress for $100,000 to continue work on the Angel Island (Cal.) immigrant station.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Current Events Specially Selected and Condensed.

Charles Smith, a miner, 40 years of age, fell 220 feet down a shaft in the Afterthought mine at Ingot and was instantly killed.

The impeachment proceedings instituted against Mayor A. W. Torpy of Eureka by the Anti-Saloon League were thrown out of court by Superior Judge Hunter.

Bert Phelan, a nightwatchman in Chinatown at Watsonville, was shot and killed in a saloon by Al Carter, the bartender, who claims the shooting was accidental.

The Golden Eagle Hotel building, business and property at Redding were sold by Hurst Brothers to Gronwoldt Brothers. The consideration is said to have been $50,000.

Excitement continues over the big gold strike north of The Needles. The first discovery was made within a short distance of the Santa Fe branch line running from Goffs to Manvel.

The Big Creek Power Company, which practically controls the manufacture of electric power in Santa Cruz county, has been sold to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company.

Charles Russell, a young man from San Francisco, pleaded guilty to trying to pass a forged check at Marysville and was sentenced by Judge McDaniel to serve five years in the State's prison.

The Grand Jury of Sonoma county in its final report condemned the practice of the Justice Court and Constables of Santa Clara for vagrancy arrests and releases without any punishment.

The citizens of Palo Alto are involved in a bitter factional quarrel over the proposed site and building plans provided for the new City Hall, the erection of which was authorized in a recent bond election.

It is understood in the yard at Vallejo that a corps of dental surgeons, will soon be added to the service, they to be rated as first assistant surgeons, and will be under the direction of the Surgeon-General of the Navy.

John Rooney, who dropped dead in a saloon in Los Angeles from what was believed to be acute alcoholism, was murdered, and E. Chapman of Hollywood is now in jail, having admitted that he struck down Rooney with a spade during an altercation.

A disastrous fire wiped out most of the business section of Guerneville. They had no way of fighting the fire and the bucket brigades were not able to cope with it. Guerneville has had several bad fires in recent years and in each case the flames had almost free way.

The various land-owners some miles east of Vallejo have formed an agreement with the aim in view of reclaiming their lowlands lying along the Sacramento river front, and have formed a district for that purpose. This tract of land contains over 800 acres, and is very valuable.

Following upon the application of the Clear Lake and Southern Railroad Company for a franchise to operate on the streets of Napa, the Napa and Lakeport Railroad Company, another electric road, filed an application with the Napa City Council for a franchise to construct and operate a road in that city.

Dennis le Duc, a civil engineer of Montreal who died at Los Angeles recently, left his fortune to Lucile Isabel Sells. He cuts off his only daughter, Mrs. Georgette le Duc Elliott of Denver with $1, with the provision that this dollar shall go to the Salvation Army in the event of his daughter contesting the will.

Sheriff Ralphs of San Bernardino county denounces the Scotts of Death Valley fame as fakirs, who have spread stories of desert riches and criminal attacks on themselves to secure free advertising. He even goes so far as to assert that if either of the Scotts were wounded it was during a squabble among themselves.

City Assessor Lewis and Assistant City Attorney Hewitt, of Los Angeles, have recently unearthed a clever scheme by which shrewd property owners have been escaping taxes on valuable residence and business property. Under the peculiar State law the original owner of the property can redeem it at any time until the city has sold it to a third party. The aggregate value of the property on which the city now holds tax deeds is estimated at $750,000.

A decision was filed in the Superior Court at San Diego in the suit entitled "E. S. Babcock and Graham E. Babcock vs. the Southern California Mountain Water Company and John D. Spreckels Jr.," in which the issue was the control of the defendant corporation. The case was tried here before Judge Bledsoe of San Bernardino, and occupied several weeks. Judge Bledsoe's decision received finds for the defendants on all the questions involved.

The killing of Bert Phelan by Al Carter has resulted in an interesting conflict between the authorities of Monterey and Santa Cruz counties. The arrest was made by officers of Watsonville. The Sheriff and District Attorney of Monterey county say that under the law, where a public offense is committed within 500 yards of the boundery line of two counties, the jurisdiction is in either county, and as the official of Santa Cruz had the prisoner in custody, they will have nothing to do with the case. District Attorney Knight said he did not propose to allow an expensive trial to be addled upon Santa Cruz county when they are in no wise concerned with the case. In the meantime Kather remains in jail without a hearing.

An Interesting Girl.

Though she has been only a few weeks in the world, a little girl is getting much attention from official and diplomatic Washington. This little girl is the daughter born to the minister from the Netherlands. Mme. von Swinderen was Elizabeth Glover, daughter of a veteran Washington banker, and before she was won by the ardent suit of the Dutchman she was a belle in the capital. She was presented to the minister by Mrs. Roosevelt, and the president's wife attended the wedding that was the outcome of that meeting. It was a quick courtship—four months long. Mrs. Roosevelt has taken a deep interest in the happiness of the couple. When the baby was only a few hours old a cluster of roses came from the mistress of the White House with a gold spoon.

Ropemaking 2,000 Years B. C.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. R. L. Rowe, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. on Sunday.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Commencing Sunday, November 20th and until further notice, mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, on the first and third Sundays of the month at 10:30 a. m., and on the second and fourth Sundays mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, at 9 a. m., and in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 11 a. m. On the fifth Sunday of every month in which five Sundays occur, mass will be said in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m., and in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, at 11 a. m.

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CHAS. J. POPPE Secretary.

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WEEKLY EXPOSITOR

Friday, March 23, 1906.

EDITORS MEET

Last Saturday the Editors of Sonoma County met in Petaluma when steps were taken to form an editorial association. They were met at the depot by the Petaluma Editors and escorted to town.

F. H. Cook of the Healdsburg Tribune was elected temporary chairman of the meeting and F. H. Snow of the Petaluma Poultry Journal, secretary. The motion to appoint a committee on permanent organization to draft a constitution and by laws prevailed and the following were appointed:—W. O. Hocker, of the Sonoma Valley Expositor; A. B. Knowlin, of the Windsor Herald; F. H. Cook, of the Healdsburg Tribune.

The committee on legal rates and public printing are: J. E. Olmstad, of the Petaluma Argus; Editor Reynolds of the Santa Rosa Republican, and Ernest Finley of the Santa Rosa Press Democrat.

The visitors were guests of the Petaluma Editors during their stay in the hen metropolis of the coast, and were pleasantly taken care of in true brotherly fashion.

After the meeting a fine chicken dinner was served and enjoyed at the American Hotel.

In the afternoon the local editors and their guests were entertained by the members of the Chamber of Commerce and taken about the city and given an opportunity to visit many points of interest.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Santa Rosa, April, 5, at which time it is expected that a permanent organization will be effected.

Chas. Dal Poggetto

For twenty-one years, the subject of this sketch has resided in Sonoma and has been actively interested in promoting the welfare of our growing city. Mr. Dal Poggetto owns some of the best property in Sonoma and believes in keeping things up-to date in every respect. He is a public spirited and progressive citizen and gives freely of his means towards all projects brought forward for the advaucement of our historic city.

He is desirous of serving the city in the offlce of trustee and his many friends are enthusiastic in his support. Mr. Dal Poggetto is a successful business man, and thoroughly understands the needs of the municipality and being a careful man of the strictest integrity his friends believe he would make an ideal trustee. See his political card in this issue.

The Batchelor Case

Attorney A. B. Ware, representing Mr. O'Brien in the case, gave notice in the Superior Court on Monday, that his client does not want any more wood cut on the Batchelor Ranch near Sonoma as it decreases the value of the ranch in question. Mr. O'Brien holds a mortgage on the place. Attorney T. S. Minot, who represents Mr. Batchelor in the divorce case, also intimated his intention to resign from the case.

Entertained Whist Club

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson delightfully enteatained the whist club at their home on Napa St., last Friday evening. Progressive whist was played at five tables by twenty players. Refreshments were then served.

PROF. CUNNINGHAM DEAD

Prof. Wm. Newton Cunningham died last week at his home in Bakersfield.

The sad intelligence is received here with profound regret by many old residents who were former pupils when Prof. Cunningham taught school in Sonoma.

He came here in 1861 and opened the Cumberland Presbyterian school in the old adobe now owned and occupied by C. Aguilon and J. T. MacQuiddy. Later the building now occupied by the High School, was built at a cost of $12,000, and the school removed there.

Deceased was an old friend of J. T. MacQuiddy, and Jesse Burris, Robert A. Poppe, W. E. McConnell and many others were former pupils.

Deceased was born in Alabama, May 20, 1825, and graduated with the title A. M. from Cumberland Presbyterian College at Lebanon, Tenn., in 1859, and came to take charge of the church in Stockton the same year. He affiliated with Trmple Lodge, F. and A. M., of Sonoma, in 1862 and demitted in 1873 whsn he left for the south. A wife and son survive to mourn their loss.

PURE BLOOD IS VITAL

Not everyone realizes the vital necessity of keeping the blood pure at all times. Impure blood not only causes various derangements and inability to perform one's work well, but gives a ready welcome to all germs of disease with which it comes in contact. It is the rankest extravagance to allow the human blood to remain in an impure or impoverished condition. "Our Standard Remedy" is the safest, purest and best blood purifier on the market to-day. It is a new remedy, a purely vegetable preparation composed of roots, barks and herbs, and contains no calomel or other injurious or metallic drug. 204 doses for $1, with a written guarantee that your money will be refunded if you are not cured of all troubles caused directly or indirectly by bad blood. You can purchase this wonderful new remedy at Clewe's. John McNeil, sole agent for Sonoma County, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma.

Don't forget to see the stylish millinery at G. H. Hotz on Saturday March 17th.

A NEW UNION HALL

Otto Rufus and his sister, Miss Louisa Rufus, owners of the Union Hall and Hotel, have accepted the plans of Architect Lutgens and will soon commence the alterations planned for the hall.

The present hall is 43 feet square but when the new additions shall have been completed will be more than twice as long and contain a larger and more modern stage.

This improvement is estimated to cost in the neighborhood of $2000 and it is expected that the new hall will be ready for use by June 1, if not sooner.

GLAISTER PLACE SOLD

The sale of the large vineyard and farm of the late T. S. Glaister was confirmed by the Superior Court on Monday, to F. Bacette.

Poultry Stock Food

Buy Purina Poultry and Stock Foods of Batto & Son, Vineburg or Sonoma. Also hay grain, feed flour, Sonoma depot at L. H. Green's Lumber Yard. *

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

NATIVES ENTERTAIN

Sonoma Parlor received an official visit from Judge Dooling of Hollister, second V. P. of the order, last Monday evening.

In honor of their dintinguished guest, a most excellent spread was prepared by the Woman's Club, and was heartily enjoyed by the Natives and their lady friends.

F. T. Duhring acted as toastmaster, and many witty and appropriate speeches were made. The guest of the evening, Judge Dooling, in eloquent and thoughtful words. spoke on the subject, "California." He is an interesting and fluent speaker.

Adam Adler. Wm. Clewe, P. G. Keil, M. Cummings, President Leo Dowdall, Marshal Albertson and others also responded to toasts.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

LOCAL POLITICS

There is no lack of candidates for the office of city trustee to be voted for at the coming election April 9.

The new candidates for trustees in the field not reported in last week's paper are H. W. Gottenburg and Chas. Dal Poggetto. L. H. Green has come out as a candidate for city clerk and Jesse Burris for city treasurer.

The campaign is becoming quite interesting and promises to be more lively as the voting day approaches.

GRAND BALL.

The Glen Ellen Base Ball Club are making preparations for a grand ball to be given in Mervyn Hall Glen Ellen on Saturday evening April 21. The proceeds will go towards outfitting the new club.

Cabinet work, refrigerators, book cases, chests and Mission furniture. Properly made to order at Adler's Planing Mill, Spain St.

NEW DRAW BRIDGE

The new draw bridge on the C. N. R'y, across Schell's Slough is to be completed by Sept. 1, 1906, as contained in the order from the war department.

Capt. Scheller will have his new boat in readiness, to handle this years shipments from the valley, but until the draw-bridge is in operation will use old Sonoma creek and will load and unload freight at the old landing at Embarcadero.

Our second invoice of Spring Dress Hats have arrived and are ready for your inspection to day, Saturday, March 24. G. H. Hotz.

Child Injured

The two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schmauch, whose home is on Broadway, fell from the back porch and broke his right arm near the elbow. A physician placed the arm in a plaster cast. The patient little man is bearing his discomforture quite bravely

The Housewife

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Spring hats at the RACKET STORE.

MAIONCHI VS. NICHELINI

This case which has been so long on the docket and in which so much interest has been taken, has been decided by Judge Burnett.

Under an agreement the defendants were to receive certain of the plaintiff's property, valued at something over $1,000, in return for caring for Maionchi, who was an aged man living in Sonoma valley. In a prior decision the lower court held that the agreement was absolutely void because the plaintiff was entirely without understandng on account of his weak intellect. The Appellate Court decided that the evidence did not warrant the finding and held that the alleged contract or agreement was voidable. The contract is accordingly rescinded and Judge Burnett makes an order to this effect and directs the plaintiff to pay the defendants the sum of $250.

Sonoma Fire Case

The trial of Felici Del Carlo, the man accused of setting fire to L. Quartaroli's barn in Sonoma some time ago, is set for trial to day in the Superior Court. A special venire of thirty-five jurors has been subpoened to try the case. Attorney Ross Campbell of Santa Rosa is the attorney for the defense.

BOYES HOT SPRINGS

On Monday Manager Kelley shipped a car load of Boyes' Hot Mineral Water to San Francisco. The demand for the water is rapidly growing and three more men were added Monday morning to the force at the bottling works. Fifty cases per day are now being bottled and packed at the works every day.

NEW WAREHOUSE

Batto & Son of Vineburg, are building a fine new ware house on their property near Vineburg. The firm is buying large quantities of hay at the present time. They buy hay of the producer in lots, from one to one hundred tons or more. Owing to the large increase in their business an addition to their storage capacity was necessary.

The new ware house when completed will be 160 feet by 43 feet and hundreds of tons of hay, grain and feed can be stored within its walls.

Important to Voters

An important point in connection with the district attorney's opinion regarding those qualified to vote in the elections that will be held in school districts next month, is that voters must have been registered thirty days before the election takes place. This refers to those voters who were not on the last great register.

Political Cards

L. QUARTAROLI
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the
City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906.

A. PINELLI,
(INCUMBENT)
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906.

P. YENNI
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906.

GEO. BREITENBACH,
(INCUMBENT)
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the
City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906

CHAS. DAL POGGETTO
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the
City of Sonoma.
Election. April, 9, 1906.

W. CLEWE
(INCUMBENT)
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Treasurer
of the City of Sonoma.
Election April, 9, 1906

Don't build without getting figures on your building from A. W. Adler. He will save you money.

A clean face and stylish suit are important factors in making favorable impressions. See Chas. Dal Poggetto, the tonsorial artist, Napa St., Sonoma. *

Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the City of Sonoma, State of California, that a general municipal election will be held in said city, at the City Hall, on the second Monday of April, to wit:

The 9th day of April, 1906,

for the election of the following city officers, to wit:

Three Trustees for the full term of four years;

One Treasurer;

One Clerk and Assessor;

One Marshal and Collector.

The following named persons have been appointed a Board of Election to conduct said election, to wit:

W. C. Goodman—Inspector.
S. Ciucci—Inspector.
H. Appleton—Judge.
Geo. W. Estes—Judge.
P. G. Keil—Ballot Clerk.
L. Breitenbach—Ballot Clerk.
L. H. Green—Tally Clerk.
S. Ringstrom—Tally Clerk.

The polls will be open from six (6) o'clock of the morning of the day of election until five (5) o'clock P. M. of the same day.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

JOSEPH B. SMALL,
City Clerk.

Sonoma, Cal., March 7th, 1906.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

J. P. LOUSTALET, Plaintiff
vs.
Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants

This action is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

The plaintiff above named has brought an action against you and each of you in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

And you are, and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within said county; and if served elsewhere and without said county, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action, situate, lying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. fifty (50), except that portion thereof in the northeast corner being one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet fronting on Napa Street by a uniform depth of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, now owned by Granville S. Harris; also lots Nos. forty-nine (49), sixty-four (64), sixty-five (65), and forty-eight (48), also that certain strip or parcel of land formerly known as a street and lying and being between lots 48 and 65 on the west and lots 49 and 64 on the east, Saving and excepting, however, from out of said lots, Nos. 65 and 48, that certain strip of land on the west side, said lot being twenty (20) feet wide and six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet long, heretofore sold and conveyed by P. J. Vasquez and Catherine, his wife, to Gaetano Noli, saving and excepting also out of said lots Nos. 65 and 48, those certain portions thereof fronting two hundred (200) feet on Napa Street, by a depth of six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet, sold and conveyed by L. Quartaroli and Amelia Quartaroli, his wife, to Luigi Maffea by a deed dated March 19th, 1903.

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands.
2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the said plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.
3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands or any part thereof.
4. To have said defendants, all and singular, by said court forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands adverse to said plaintiff.
5. To obtain an award and allowance by said court to said plaintiff of their costs in said action and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 12th day of December, 1905.

{SEAL} F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk
By G. A. FELDMEYER, Deputy Clerk

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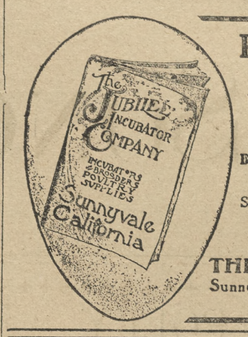

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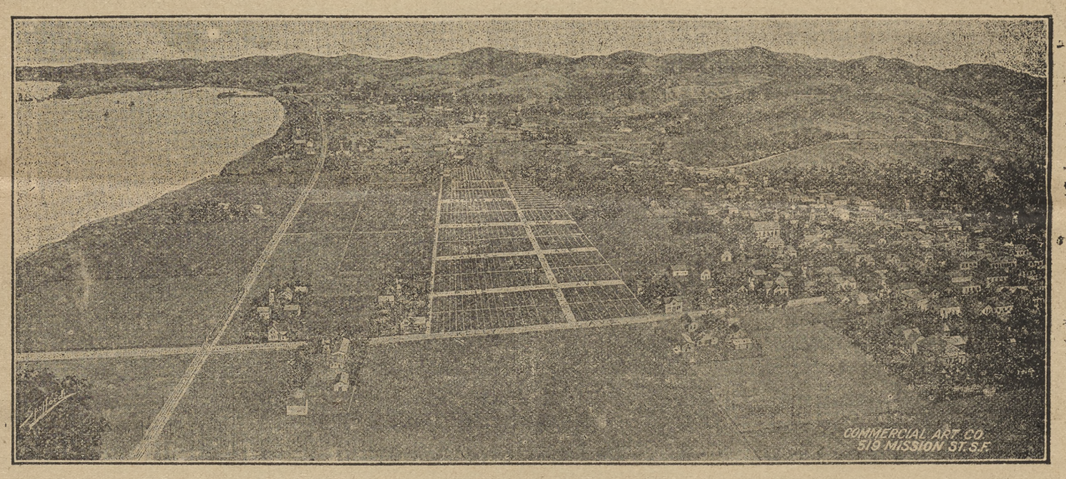

Herewith we have in illustration a section of the Coast that is attracting great attention all through the State on account of the construction of the new electric railroad to Santa Cruz along the Ocean Shore.

To enumerate the natural advantages of this section would require the pen of those adept at word painting. The story is better told by the camera. The Ocean Shore railroad people have invested a very large amount in land at Half Moon Bay, but have as yet only began. They are not the kind of people to do things by halves. These people are building hotels; bath houses, a casino, iron piers, tennis and golf grounds, and all the rest that go to make Coney Island on the Atlantic Coast so attractive.

The absolute success of Half Moon Bay as a town site and pleasure resort is guaranteed by the active co-operation of such prominent business men and capitalists as W. E. Deane, J. Downey Harvey, Chas. Webb Howard, Chas. Carpy, A. D. Bowen, C. C. Moore. Several of these gentlemen are well known in this valley.

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A. H. Cohen and H. G. Dowdall are now in this valley. They are with P. H. Jordan Co. of San Francisco, who is handling Pilarcitos Park in the heart of the town. If you are looking for a good investment on your own terms, be sure and drop a line to Dowdall & Cohen, Gen. Agents, Glen Ellen. Maps can be had at the Expositor office.

Isn't it a pity that so many people go through life as nervous, fretful invalids, always in a sick-bed or on the verge of it. They are to be sincerely pitied for the great majority have in them the making of healthy, amiable, capable men and women. These cases become sadder still when it is realized that the sufferings they endure are unnecessary. Any one can be healthy and amiable and helpful if they will take care of the health.

Foul breath is caused by foul stomach attended with torpid liver, bitter or bad taste, furred tongue, loss of, or irregular appetite, heavy or full bloated feeling in stomach, "water brash," or sour eructations of gas, sick or bilious headaches, disposition to despondency, or "the blues," irritable temper or peevishness and kindred symptoms. Not all of these symptoms are present in every case.

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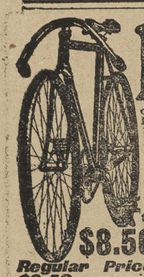

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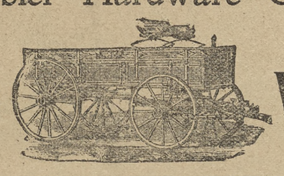

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A surprise party was given Miss Alice Nevraumont, of San Francisco on Monday evening March 19, 1906 at El Verano Villa.

Mr. E. L. McGarity sang several of his most select songs, accompanied by Mr. Eugene P. O'Keeffe on the piano. After the enturtainment a very nice spread was enjoyed with plenty of sparkling wine.

Among the most prominent of Miss Nevraumont's friends were: Miss Annie McKittrick, Miss Kate Duffy, Miss M. Huber, Miss Ellen O'Keeffe, Miss Therese Camjagne, Mr. Martin Hanley, Ike Holmes and John Lestelle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamotte made everything as pleasant as could be during the evening.

Commodore McGarity, residing at the El Verano Villa, issues a challenge to Sam Chase of the Bungalow, to play a series of ten games of Ping Pong for the championship of Sonoma Co. and a basket of champagne.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS

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SUPERIOR COURT NOTES.

In the Superior Court on Monday, the following cases came up for consideration:

A sale of real estate of the Thomas Skelton Glaister estate was confirmed.

Conrad Kiser and Robert Kiser were admitted to citizenship.

The demurrer was overruled in the divorce case of Louisa Moller vs. W. R. Moller who was formerly a building contractor in Petaluma and ten days were allowed to answer.

In the suit of Maionchi vs. Nichelini, permission was granted to amend the complaint.

The case of Burris vs. Flannigan was continued to April 2.

In the suit to quiet title brought by Elizabeth C. Allen against Barbara E. Garniss, et al., the defendant was entered and the suit as to fictitious defendants was dismissed.

Millinery Opening on Saturday March 17th at G. H. Hotz.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. W. O. Hocker spent Monday with relatives and friends in Petaluma.

A distinct earthquake shock lasting about five seconds was felt here Monday evening at 7:23 o'clock.

Friend McHarvey returned Monday evening form a San Francisco visit.

F. M. Burris and Jesse Burris had business in San Francisco on Monday.

Fred Lowell came up from the metropolis on Monday.

Fred Batto, the grain merchant, transacted business in the bay city the first of the week.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; Hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

District Attorney Pond, Assistant Dist. Attorney Thompson and Court Reporter Scott, came down from Santa Rosa Tuesday morning and spent the day in Sonoma.

Last Friday week, Mr. Bosworth entertained with cards at "Stafford Grange." Progressive Whist was played, followed by a delicious supper. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Hotz, Mrs. Enos, Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Stofen, Mrs. McMullin, Misses Clewe, Stofen, Knight, Dorman and Messrs. Clewe, Luce, Stofen, Ralph Hotz and H. Knight.

The Altimira Club will hold an important meeting next Tuesday at the home of Mr. MacQuiddy.

Special union meetings will commence in DalPoggetto's hall next Friday evening, March 30th, and cantinue until April 6. The speaker will be Rev. B. M. Palmer, a graduate of Stanford University and of the Pacific Theological Seminary, an inspiring preacher and leader, and a noble unselfish man. The Congregational and the Methodist people and their choirs will co-operate in this effort to benefit the community and especially the young people. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

It is a good time of the year to lay cement walks. They are the cheapest and best in the end. Wm. Trudgen does that work properly and at reasonable price. Consult him. Consultation free. *

Congregational Church—March 25—a. m. topic—"Paul's art in winning men." Evening topic—"The Kingdom of God first."

A full attendance of members is desired at the W. O. W. meeting next Monday evening. Important business. Banquet. L. H. Green, Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Peoples, Mr. and Mrs. Omstead of Petaluma, were guests at the Bigelow home west of town on Sunday last.

Carpenter Harris is building himself a neat modern cottage on his lot near El Verano,

W. P. Marten has sold his place near El Verano and has purchased the fine 12-acre place of J. M. Schmauch on lower Broadway.

Adler has on hand a fine stock of fence posts.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

The butcher for the Central Market fell from a horse on Broadway Monday evening and sustained a number of painful bruises. Luckily no serious injury is anticipated.

Clyde Steademan is suffering from two mashed toes, caused by being run over by a loaded wagon Monday evening.

H. G. Dowdall, a brother of Leo Dowdall, and A. H. Cohn of San Francisco, were prominent visitors in our city on Wednesday. While here they paid the Expositor office a pleasant call.

The will of W. H. Pepper, the Petaluma pioneer, has been filed for probate. It disposed of an estate valued at $100,000.

Dr. T. A. Nufer, V.S., will stand his stallions during the season of 1906 at the Chase place, Sonoma, the first part of each and every week until July 1st. *

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

Prof. Bioletti of the State University has invented a new machine for cooling wine. A complete discription of the new process is contained in the Bulletin No. 174, just issued, copies can be had on application.

The Misses Russel, Miss Moody and Miss Siebe of San Francisco, are guests at El Mirador.

Mrs. O. P. Palstine left Wednesday afternoon for San Francisco to reside permanently.

Mrs. Leo Dowdall visited faiends in the city this week.

Spring millinery at the RACKET STORE.

Sunday evening Mr. Bosworth gave a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Langworthy of Rhode Island, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Allen. Those enjoying Mr. Bosworth's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Langworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Knight, Miss Knight and Howard Knight.

Don't fail to see the new lot of Spring Hats at G. H. Hotz's this week.

Mrs. J. M. Cheney spent Saturday in San Francisco.

Mrs. S. S. Simon was visiting her sister Mrs. Paul Robin, last week.

Clarence Cheney of San Francisco, spent Sunday with relatives in Sonoma.

Ed Dunn went to San Francisco the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nottingham (nee Monahan), spent Sunday with relatives in Sonoma.

Henry Bates spent the fore part of the week in the city.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz has just returned from San Francisco with another invoice of hats which will be on display Saturday, March 24.

Eph Weiss, the expert refracting optician, will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel, April 2nd.

WANTED:—District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary $18.00 weekly, $3.00 per day for expenses. State age and present employment. IDEAL SHEAR CO., 39 Randolph St., Chicago.

The city of Napa has granted a franchise to the Napa & Lakeport Railroad Co. to operate an electric road on the streets of that city. Much speculation is indulged in as to how soon the road will be extended through Sonoma Valley.

George Breitenbach

Appearing in another column in this issue is the political card of Geo. Breitenbach who is in the race for re-election to the office of City Trustee.

Mr. Breitenbach has made a conscientious trustee, and has never been konwn to go back on a matter of principle. The clerk's minutes will show that on different occasions his vote stood alone which goes to prove that Mr. Breitenbach could not be swayed from what he considered the right.

Mr. Breitenbach wants it distinctly understood by the voters that he is an anti-grafter and if again chosen on the board will insist on the city's getting a dollar's worth of work or material for every dollar expended. At the election four years ago, Mr. Breitenbach received the highest vote on the ticket and should he be chosen again for the office he can be depended upon to work hard for what he considers the best interests of the people of our growing municipality.

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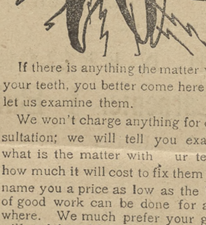

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The Trail of a Valentine

By HOWARD FIELDING

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It was a surprise to Mr. Bailey that the office of a detective agency should present an aspect so wholesome and so ordinary. He had pictured it a shabby den of tricksters whose trade was deservedly ill paid, and he had come upon an impulse wholly at variance with the usual currents of his life, dreading to be seen on such an errand and slinking in at the street door in the manner of a man who makes his first distressful visit to a pawn shop.

Mr. Bailey was one of those men in whose knowledge of life there are blank spaces. In his case these gaps were due to obstinacy. When he had a prejudice against a person, a place or an occupation he seemed deliberately to cultivate ignorance and to shun information, as if upon a scruple of conscience. Because of this peculiarity his notion of a detective's share in the world's activities had become constantly more absurd from the day when he first attempted to dissuade a certain young man from choosing that profession. To this young man he had now come as a client, surely at the spur of no small need.

Upon the receipt of Mr. Bailey's card Harley Bertrand dropped a half read letter and made all haste to usher in his visitor. The obvious sincerity of the welcome went far to relieve Mr. Bailey of embarrassment, and the businesslike appearance of the inner office helped still further to put him at his ease.

"Harley," said he, somewhat in the manner of the old days when he was legal guardian to Bertrand and distantly affectionate—"Harley, I'm glad to see you so well situated. You must be getting on."

"Pretty well, I thank you, Uncle John," responded Bertrand. "And how is it with you? At least you've grown no older in the year since I've seen you."

"It needn't have been so long," said Bailey. "I'm afraid you took our differences too much to heart and thought that I—er— Well, you might have known that I didn't want you to stop coming to the house."

"It's very kind of you to say so."

"I'm frank and outspoken," continued Bailey defensively, "and I don't like your occupation. That's a fact that can't be altered, but we needn't quarrel about it. We'll be debarred from that in future anyway, because I've come to consult you professionally, which may seem to put me out of the argument."

"Unless I fail to help you," said Bertrand.

"Well, I'm bound to admit that if you fail I can't blame you," responded Bailey. "I'm prepared to hear you say at

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once that the thing is impossible. It's a matter of some delicacy and one that I couldn't discuss with a stranger."

Bertrand looked dubiously across the desk at the white haired, ruddy old man, who was beginning with nervous fingers to unloose the cord around a square, thin packet. When the wrapping was removed there appeared a frame of white cardboard with a design in colors and gilt inclosing a photograph which upon inspection proved to be a reproduction of a detail from a painting of Chartran's, a Brittany peasant girl holding a bridal veil in her hands.

"This thing seems to be a valentine," said the detective, "if one may judge by the design upon the frame."

"That's what it is," responded Bailey, "and a fine one, as you'll admit. My daughter got it by mail yesterday, and I want you to find out who sent it."

Bertrand's mouth and eyes expressed a painful amazement.

"This is indeed a—a somewhat delicate matter, as you intimated," he said. "May I ask whether Charlotte has expressed a wish that I should do this? Doesn't she know who sent it?"

"She says she doesn't."

"I shall ask for no further evidence on that point," responded Bertrand. "But there was another question"—

"No. She hasn't expressed a wish that you should investigate this matter. She doesn't know that it is being investigated. But I am doing only my plain duty in trying to find out whether this is the beginning of further attentions on the part of young Steve Temple. I knew his father for a rascal; I know the son for another. I sent him about his business once, and I am prepared to do it again."

"Pardon me for saying that I think you took too serious a view of this matter a year ago," said Bertrand, with hesitation. "I did not believe at that time that Charlotte felt any deeper sentiment than a certain natural recognition of the fact that Temple is a very handsome fellow. He has the gift of fascination."

"He has the gift of all the vices that disgrace humanity," said Bailey, with decision. "He inherited them. But this is not prejudice on my part. I looked him up. I know him to the backbone."

"What reason have you for supposing that Temple sent this?"

"It looks foreign to me, and he's been abroad. He has just got back. No other young man of Charlotte's acquaintance has been across the water. I think Temple bought this on the other side and brought it over with him."

Bertrand examined the frame.

"The anatomy of these Cupids suggests Germany surely," said he.

"Temple's been there," said Bailey.

There was a plain, thin sheet of paper which was folded like a cover protecting the frame and the photograph. Bertrand held it up to the light and pointed out to Bailey two letters, "E. G.," unmistakably German.

"That's evidence," declared Bailey; "but, of course, it doesn't really prove anything. I can't open my mouth without having something more definite. But how to get it? This valentine was mailed in this city. I saw the post mark on the envelope. But there's no way of finding out who mailed it. The address was typewritten."

Bertrand spent half a minute in meditation, rubbing his yellow hair into a strange tangle meanwhile. Then he slowly walked to the steam radiator in the corner and laid the valentine upon it.

"There is another point," said he. "You may remember that about a year ago your cousin, Mrs. Ewing, was visiting you just after returning from abroad. She had a photographic reproduction of the picture of which we have here a detail. Charlotte cared very little for the picture as a whole, but she admired this particular figure."

"I remember," said Bailey. "She tried to find a large photograph of the painting in this city, but couldn't. It is the likeliest thing in the world that she told Temple and that he found this somewhere in Europe."

"My excellent alleged uncle," said Bertrand, smiling, "there is no difficulty at all in the matter. Barring the luck which may defeat the invincible, nullify certainties and—to all intents and purposes, for you and me—prevent the sun from rising tomorrow I will show you the way to obtain positive proof as to who sent this valentine, and I'll do it without rising from my chair.

"Now, then, in the first place, we'll consult the valentine itself. How was it made?"

"Bless your soul!" cried Bailey. "I don't know anything about the technical details of getting up such a thing."

"You can see, however, that it never was made to hold this photograph. There's nothing to hold it. It's pasted on, and very crudely. Didn't that strike your eye? See how neatly all the rest of it is got up. Contrast that with the pasting. What do you make of it?"

"Well, I don't know; really, I don't know," repeated Bailey, alternately peering at the back of the valentine and at the face of the detective.

"There was another picture here originally," said Bertrand. "It was attached in a different way from this one. The frame was made in two parts, back and front. The picture was laid between them, and they were glued together. If you look closely you can see that that picture was cut out with the sharp point of a penknife probably, and then this one was affixed to the back so that it shows all right from the other side. It was done very recently, long after the original valentine was made."

"Eh?" said Bailey. "How do you know that?"

"The paste is not thoroughly dry. The heat of the radiator has wrinkled the edges of the photograph even with only a few minutes' trial. But the heat has had no effect upon the older portion.

"If the man had bought the picture and the frame aboard he would have done this work long ago. Indeed, with so much time at his disposal he probably would have had some more skillful workman do it for him. I infer that the idea of sending this picture as a valentine came to him suddenly at the last moment and that he hunted through the stores for a frame that would fit it. That means that the frames were imported by some firm in this country, most probably in this city. There are only a very few in that line of business. It will take us only a little while to talk to them by telephone."

This task Bertrand delegated to an assistant, who within twenty minutes gave him the name of the firm importing the valentines of which the frame in question was a part and a list of nine stores where they were sold at retail.

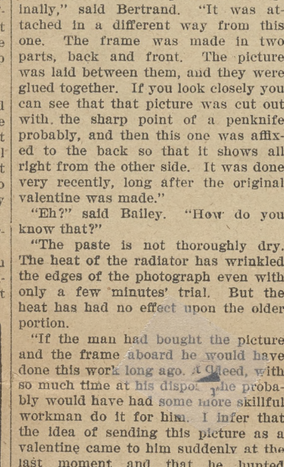
"But the clerk won't remember," objected Bailey. "In the rush of this valentine business how will a salesman be able to tell who bought one of these things? Probably a dozen or more were sold."

"Our particular purchaser," said Bertrand, "was looking not merely for a pretty valentine, but for one into which this photograph could be fitted. Undoubtedly he carried the photograph with him and told the salesman what he was hunting for. That will fix the purchaser in the salesman's memory At any rate, we'll try."

He called up four of the stores without result, but from the fifth he obtained a favorable reply.

"They have sent for the salesgirl," said Bertrand. "Suppose you speak with her." And Bailey, who was already leaning across the desk, snatched the telephone eagerly.

"Hello!" he cried after a brief interval of impatience. "Hello! Are you the young lady who sold a valentine to a man who wanted to paste a photograph into it? * * * What did he look like? * * * Very handsome? Yes. Go on. * * * Light hair and blue eyes. * * * You say he didn't have any mustache or beard. What? Spell



"HARLEY! GOOD HEAVENS!"

it. * * * Swell, eh? How big was he? * * * Very tall. Over six feet. Anything more that you remember?"

There was a pause, and then Bailey turned to the detective with an acid grin.

"What eyes these silly girls have! She says he wore a dark green necktie." Then to the telephone, "Thank you—thank you very much." And again to Bertrand, after hanging up the receiver: "Well, that settles it, and you have done a great piece of work for me. It's Temple beyond a doubt. He must have shaved off his mustache. Otherwise it's the man to the life. I can foresee another painful interview with that young scamp."

"It occurs to me," said Bertrand thoughtfully, "that perhaps— But I have no right to advise in such a matter."

"Yes, you have," responded Bailey. "Go right ahead. I've got some new ideas about the value of your advice. Let's have it, my dear boy."

"I am in a fair way of business here," said Bertrand, looking around the office. "My income seems well assured, and besides I have made fortunate investments. My little property which you managed so well when I was a boy has grown more rapidly than you would readily believe."

"I'm glad to hear it, my dear fellow. But what the deuce has this to do with"—

"It is in my mind that if I might see Charlotte and speak to her as my heart would prompt me"—

There was a long silence, the two men looking intently into each other's eyes. Then Bailey suddenly stretched out his hand.

"I thought of this years ago, Harley," said he, "when you were a lad and she a child at my knee. I thought of it many times afterward, but somehow of late our ways have not lain together. But—but I feel differently today. Perhaps I've been a fool."

"You do yourself a great injustice, uncle," responded Bertrand, with a smile. "Your intellectual powers may not perfectly fit you for the detective's profession, but"—

"Don't crow over me, my boy," exclaimed Bailey. "Do you know I think I should have worked this problem out just as you did if I'd really set my mind to it? It looks very simple."

Bertrand shook his head.

"No, uncle, no," said he. "By one detail of this affair I see clearly that you weren't cut out for a detective. Your inferences are swayed by previous opinion, not by the reasonable probabilities." He checked a remonstrance with a wave of his hand. "Let us illustrate. The essence of this case, it seems to me, was that Charlotte had expressed a desire for a certain picture, which was subsequently sent to her anonymously. Now, there are two tall men with light hair and blue eyes, one wearing a mustache the last time he was seen, the other always smooth shaven. The man wanted in this case is described by an eyewitness as having no hair upon his face. Moreover, a dark green necktie is mentioned, and at this very moment one of our tall, light men is wearing such a tie. Again, we know positively that Charlotte mentioned her desire for this picture to one of these men, and we only guess that she may have spoken of it to the other.

"Yet despite all these indications you persist in believing that the man who is not known to have shaved off his mustache or to have worn a dark green tie or ever to have heard that Charlotte admired a certain picture is the one who sent that valentine. Can you wonder then, that I hold you for a very bad detective?"

"Harley! Good heavens! Do you mean"—

"Certainly, uncle. I sent that valentine to Charlotte myself. We had a talk about it by telephone while you were on your way to this office. She called me up on suspicion, to use the language of my craft. And some words she said to me in thanking me for my little remembrance raised my hope that you need think no more of Stephen Temple."

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The Bible speaks of Tubal Cain as the discoverer of iron and the father of smiths. The Egyptians imputed to Hephaestus the same honor, while Pliny mentions it having been discovered by Dactyles on Mount Ida after the forests on the mountain side had been destroyed by lightning. This was about 1,432 years B. C. Jeremiah and Ezekiel both mention iron in their Scriptural writings, the latter specially mentioning two qualities of the metal and calling one bright iron, which was probably steel.

Moses mentions an iron furnace, and Job speaks of it as being taken out of the earth. Thousands of years before the opening of the Christian era the Egyptians used iron in making sickles, knives and such things. Sparta first used iron for money. Britain also used it as a medium of barter and exchange prior to the conquest by the Romans.

The Britons before the time of Christ used to export iron to Gaul, and after the Roman conquest the conquerors established extensive smelting works, which existed at least as late as the Saxon conquest.—St. James' Gazette.

A Search For a Planet.

Mabel Loomis Todd, who as an astronomical authority holds a position of the first rank, gives in Harper's Weekly the results of her observation of the recent solar eclipse. The most interesting results of the eclipse, says Mrs. Todd, are those relating to the search for a suspected planet within the orbit of Mercury. "For this," she says, "we had two specially constructed lenses, three inches in diameter, but with huge cameras twelve feet long. The action of these lenses is such that even with very long exposures the background of sky is not harmfully fogged on the plate until very faint stars have also impressed themselves upon it. Abundance of such stars we find on the plates, but no suspected planet, so the negative evidence of the 1905 eclipse is added to that of its predecessors and the existence of such a planet is coming to be highly improbable."

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